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THURSDAY..... MARCH 21, 1889.

Natural Monopolies-Again. "Monopoly" is a word that has become unpepular. It is not an uncommon thing for party platforms to denounce monopolies and monopolists. In fact the word has ac quired so bad a reputation that it is frequently employed to describe the owner of a making of such observations as were made large manufacturing establishment. There at the various eircompolar stations. The is much in a name.

monopolles. These will be beneficent if into the Arctic circle from the days of the artificial competition is not allowed. A Cabors until within a comparatively recent monopoly may be considered as natural, in date, is no longer regarded as practicable, Professor ELT's sense of that word, when it would injure the community to allow competition with it. Gas-works, for example, may be owned by persons or by municipali- for the purpose of studying the winds ties. If owned by persons and free compe- and currents and gathering astronomitition is allowed, there are likely to be in | cal, geographical, and other information every large city two or more plants. These plants cost much money. It requires twice wegians seem to be especially well as much money to operate two plants as to operate one. This either occasions a useless and, taking the record of the retreats (save expenditure of money, or cise all of the plants except one perish from competition. The remaining one then has it in power to compensate itself for cessful in the matter of adding largely to the the losses caused by competition by raising the price of gas. The public are thus at the mercy of the monopolists. Why? Because, Arctic winds, currents, &c., and of what is says Professor ELY, gas-works constitute : natural monopoly and should be owned and polar regions than any expedition that has operated by the city. Why a natural mo- preceded it. mopoly? Because there ought to be no more than one plant and one set of employees in one city, and if this one plant be private property the public will be fleeced.

It will be seen at once that if Professo ELY's reasoning is sound, it applies to electric-lighting as well as to gas-lighting. The city ought to own both its electric-plant and its gas-plant. Otherwise, the respective owners will pool their issues and the public will suffer.

Professor ELY lays down these propositions as he would a proposition in mathemat-He has no doubt on the subject, and is willing to stake his reputation upon the truth of his theories or teachings. The city of Dunkirk, New York, lights its own streets with electric lights. The cost of each arclight per night, running all night and every might, is 132 cents. The plant cost \$13,338.71. The length of the line is about eleven miles. Dunkirk owns and operates its water-plant, and a great saving comes from the city's owning and operating both plants. We quote from a letter from the Mayor of Dun- can be elected in this city."

"No extra labor is required but a lineman, for whose services we pay \$15 per month. The same engineers, firemen, and superintendent operate both plants, and the same boiler-power is used. I saw the superintendent this morning after the receipt of your letter, and he assures me the cost per night can be reduced below 134 cents. * * * The city of Chicago, Ili., has introduced a plant and furnishes electric lights along the river-front. There has been some extra ex-pense on account of burial of wires—and, by the way, there never is any difficulty in burying electric wires owned and operated by Government either here or elsewhere—but the cost per are light of 2,000-candle power is reported as about 15 cents a night, lights burning all night. The city is greatly bleased, and it is proposed to extend the plant during the present year."

Paineville and Xenia, O.; Champaign, Ili.; and Easton, Pa., are also cities which own and operate their electric-light works: We quote Professor ELY:

"When the management of natural mo-nopolies is direct we have on the other hand a harmony of public and private interests, an awakeded public spirit, an intensified muneipal self-consciousness, if I may use the expression. " I have noticed the disastrous effects described from private works. Comeffects described from private works. Com-pare Jamestown, N. Y., with Fredonia, N. Y., the former with private water-works, the latter with public works; or Lockport, N. Y., with Dunkirk, N. Y., the former with private electric-lighting works and the latter with public electric-lighting works, and you for \$6,300,000." A pretty thirsty syndicate will observe those phenomena which I have

described."
"I have calculated that by the application of correct principles in the treatment of natural monopoiles we could have reduced taxes in Baltimore one third, I suppose in New York two thirds, probably in Boston at how to hold one. Dr. ALBERT SHAW, of the Minneapolis Tri-

bune, a careful observer, who has visited England and attempted to get the secret of of the new Administration." Look out for good municipal governments, said in an in- a raid in Wall street.

"I suppose Glasgow owns its gas and water?"

"Certainly; and so ought every municipality. All the monopoles of service, such as gas, water, trams, and the like should belong to the community, and experience has shown that they can be administered with quite as much freedom from assumption as when they were lefs in the hands of private adventurers. The great difficulty of muni-cipal finance hitherto has been that it has

relied far too much upon rates, and a rate is always an unpopular means of raising money. If, on the other hand, the community kept the monopolies of service in its own bands it would be able in many cases ultimately to raise a magnificent revenue without laving on a rate at all."

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but is unable to sympathize with them or to understand them. This is, we fear, too true. The News and Courier further says:

"The disraption of the solid South will never be accomplished by a political party which holds, with General Pryor, that it is a solid Democratic South that makes a solid Republican North,' and persistently closes its eyes to the correlated fact that it is interference of that party with the 'norther interference of the south interference of the sou

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der duress-unable to help herselt. The juit door is locked. And she caused it to be ocked, says General Payon! If she will unlock it she may come out! But, alas! It is possible for her to unlock it. She hasn't The Anti-Mahoneites Confident-The Anti-

As Near the Pole as Possible-As might have been expected the organization at Hamburg. Germany, of an expedition for exploration within the antarctic circle has reawakened interest in the question of Arctic research. Now it is learned that a movement has been started in Norway to equip an expedition which will set out next yearwith a view to approaching as near the North Pole as possible. Should this expedition succeed in getting further North than did Lockwood of the Greekly circumpolar station party, snatch the bine ciboon and return in safety, it is justifiable to assume that it will mark the beginning of another series of North Polar voyages. The fact is that the world will never be satisfied so long as the region of eternal ice holds locked—in a secret it is possible for human daring to make it give up. Already the As might have been expected the organidaring to make it give up. Already the

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which the world craves. The Nor-

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world's knowledge of Arctic conditions

It will start out with a better knowledge of

Cincinnati Republicans.

him. His paper said on Tuesday, the day

"Extraordinary interest is felt in the

will support him, though his paper said on

In a conversation recently I stated that 1 did not think the word loan was used (cor-

Please answer through your daily as a favor to one who has been a constant sub-

W. C. BRYANT, the poet, would not allow

"Next year the Administration will have

to appoint fifty thousand census-takers,"

Secretary TRACY says office-holders cannot

"JAY GOULD is quoted as feeling some-

what uneasy concerning the financial policy

New Book.

Five Little Peppers and Hore They Greec. By Mangarer Sidney. Quarto, Humi-nated-board covers, 25 cents. Boston: D.

A SINGULAR CASE.

Particulars of the Killing of Thomas

Comfort.

For sale by the publishers,

And Ohio is in a broad grin.

that.

To the Editor of the Dispatch:

before the convention assembled:

change is made.

The anu-coupon movement is progressing public mind has reacted in a measure from the condition of opposition to Polar research produced by the terrible stories of the Jeanette and Cape Sabine, and it would only require one successful Arctic expedition to render that reaction complete. When the history of North Polar goyages is reviewed and the casualities are summed up it is found that the latter have not been as great by any means as has been generally great by any means as has been generally the streams in this section.

The anti-cobpon movement tax-payers whom the committee have not yet seen who will gladly sign the pledge not to use coupons in the payment of taxes. Some of the liquor-dealers have signed the agreement, but others have relieved to do so.

Major R. M. Sully, of the Atlantic Coast Line, left for Florida to-day on a pleasure time.

The storm of the last two days has been guite severe, and the ratinfail was heavy. A fireshet is expected as a consequence in all the streams in this section.

THE COCKADE CITY.

PEDERAL PATRONAGE.

Coupon Movement-Personal

Notes.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

tional fund, and expenses of delegates to the General Conference: Bultimore district, \$2.341; East Bultimore, \$1.873; Washington, \$2.344; Winchester, \$1.883; Rockingham, \$1.689; Roanoke, \$1,441; Lewisburg, \$1,252; Moorefield, \$1,193. The totals are as follows: Bishops' fund, \$1,350; supersunuated, \$10,000; educational, \$2,000, and expenses of delegates to General Conference, \$200. GREELY'S) from the circumpolar stations,

> THE SUNDAY-SCHOOL INTERESTS. The report of the Sunday-School Board thowed by statistics that there was no vaning of interest, but rather an increase. The list of teachers has increased by eigh-

necessary for a protracted sojourn in the then and scholars 334.

The treasurer of the Sunday-School Board,
Mr. F. V. Rhodes, submitted the following
statement of moneys received for needy
Sunday schools: Baitimore district, \$89.76;
East Baitimore, \$66; Washington, \$44.30;
Winchester, \$71.12; Rockingham, \$27.62;
Parack \$28.26; Legislang, \$19.50, Moore, GEORGE B. Cox has gained in Cincinnati a great victory over Mr. Murat Halstead and his followers. Halstead denounced Cox's candidate for City Comptroller, and called \$23.84—total, \$1,089.57. Expended, \$308.83. Balance in hand, \$780.74.

PROGRESS SHOWN BY STATISTICS. upon the nominating convention to defeat The statistical report was made by the statistician, Mr. George Tyler, and was as fol-lows: Total number of local preachers, 110; white members, 39,159, an Increase of 725; country at large in the approaching spring election in this city, and consequently in the convention of this day. The duty of the day is the nomination of Eshelby, because George B. Cox. the professional boss, has declared opposition to him, and the essential of salvation for the Repblicans in Cincinnati is to rid themselves of the despotism colored members, 31, an increase of 3. Adults baptized were 1,297, infants 1,292, a Adults baptized were 1,227, miants 1,237, as decrease in both cases. There are 438 churches, valued at \$552,635, showing an increase of nine churches and \$7,410 in value. There are 113 parsonages, an increase of 1; they are valued at \$187,400. The amount raised for building churches and improving the churches are the party of th of Cox. No ticket with the Cox brand upon it can be elected in this city, or ought to be elected, no matter by what name it is church property amounted to \$25,908. There was paid on the old debt \$5,894, leaving an indebtedness of \$19,451. There was raised indebtedness of \$19,451. There was raised for building and improving parsonages are told by telegraph that Mr. Halstean will support him, though his paper said on Tuesday:

"No ticket with the Cox brand upon it can be elected in this city."

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valued at \$950. THE APPOINTMENTS. The appointments are:
BALTIMORE DISTRICT—P. H. Whisner, Presiding Elder, Ealtimore—Central church,
J. T. Wilhams, J. N. Hank, and F. A. Merthe word "loan" to be used as a verb in his paper. Nevertheless, it appears in all the dictionaries as a verb. Worcester quotes Saturday Magazine for 1839; Richard Corpens, M. P., 1849; and Westminster Review for 1849 as authorities justifying its employament. It was used in England as a verb as long ago as 1552; it afterwards dropped out of use, but it has again resumed its old place.

BRIEF COMMENT.

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I. N. McCormick; Calvary, J. W. Grubb;
North Baltimore, L. L.-Lloyd. Taylors, A.
Weller; West Harford and Susquebanna, J.
S. Porter, F. C. Rollman; East Harford, C.
L. Dimeron; Royal Oak, J. W. Mitchell;
Easton, S. V. Hildebrand; Hilbsboro', C. S.
Stanton; Trappe, W. N. Wagner; Kent, W.
L. Dolly; Queen Anne's, J. C. Thrasher, C.
L. Kennard; Church Hill, S. B. Dolly;
Severn, C. E. Simmons; West River, G. H.
Zimmerman, L. H. Snapp; Calvert, L. G.
Martin, J. C. Sedwick; Prince George's, W.
H. Sanders; Charles Mission, S. M. Tucker;

hold two offices. A good many office-holders are puzzled over the question of H. Sanders; Charles Mission, S. M. Tucker; St. Mary's, W. A. Sites. Washington District—R. R. S. Hough, Washington District—R. R. S. Hough, Presiding Elder—Washington city—Mt, Vernon, S. W. Haddaway and J. W. Boteler; Grace Mission, J. C. Jones; Alexandria, W. J. Young; Fails Church, J. W. Duffey; Fairfax, J. H. Davidson; Dranesville, W. P. C. Coe and Jacob N. Ever; Leesburg, B. W. Bond; Hamilton, W. G. Eggieston; Hillsboro', J. H. Dulanev; Middleburg, C. M. Brown; Loudoun, J. C. Dice, C. D. Harris; Piedmont, C. A. Joyce, W. M. Waters, L. H. Crenshaw, supernumerary; Warrenton, W. A. Wade; Fanquier Mission, L. M. Lyle; Oecoquan, C. B. Sutton; Sudley Mission, F. H. Shipley; Manassas dission, J. H. Kuhlman; Morrissylle, N. N. Hall; Stafford, Frazier Furr; Fredericksburg, I. W. Canter, J. C. C. Newton, missionary to Japan.

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Winchester District Runsey Smithson,
Presiding Edder.—Winchester, Thomas E.
Carson: Winchester circuit, F. A. Strother,

Lexington, A. M. Cockley and R. L. Kregloc, supernumerary; Lexington circuit, R.
H. Wilson; Fairfield, O. F. Burgess; Colllerstown mission, W. T. Quinn.
LEWISBURG DISTRICT—H. W. Kinser, Presiding Eldet.—Lewisburg, J. O. Knott;
Frankfort, L. Butt; Biue Sulphur, Christopher Sydenstricker; Centreville, H. A.
Ganer; Hinton, J. L. Shipley; Talcott, F.
J. Miller; Union, D. F. Eutyler; Alderson,
J. H. Light; Ronceverte, C. M. Bragg, P. S.
E. Sixeas, superintendent; Alvon Mission,
J. J. Crickenberger; Covington, E. H.
Henry; Levelton, W. E. Miller; Huntersville, to be supplied; Healing Springs Misston, H. L. Myerly; Greenbank, W. H.
Bollangee; Bath Mission, J. T. Maxwell.
Noorepfield District—S. G. Ferguson,
Presiding Eider.—Moorefield, J. P. Stump;
Petersburg Mission, Thomas Cooper;

Au Old Dodge of the Fraternity

great by any means as has been generally believed. Though the details of what the proposed Norwegian expedition is expected to accomplish have not transpired, the fair presumption is that the objects of the voyage will be scientific investigation, and the making of such observations as were made at the various circumpolar stations. The "northwest passage" to far Cathay, which lured so many intrepid spirits into the Arctic circle from the days of the into the Arctic circle from the days of the distance of the proposed Norwegian expedition is expected as a consequence in all freshet is expected as a consequence in all freshet is expected as a consequence in all the streams in this section.

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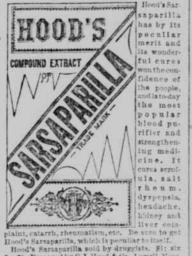
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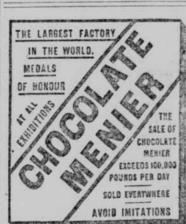
The Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, which had been in session at Alexandria, adjourned sine die Tuesday. Some interesting reports were submitted, as follows:

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

The joint Board of Finance reported the estimates for 1889 and 1890, including bishops' fund, superannuated fund, educational fund, and expenses of delegates to the first sharper to pay outright an extravagant price for the forks are stored on his premiers. The document is a printed one and very lengthy, and in a majority of instances to make very clear to him, however, when at the end of thirty days he is called upon by a confidence of the first sharper to pay outright an extravagant price for the forks. If we remonstrates he is shown his signature.



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MEETINGS.

A STATED CONVOCATION PARTY A STATED CONVOCATION
And LAFAYETTE ROYAL ARCH
CHAPTER, No. 41, will be held at their all a
tanermacle in St. Albans Hall, corner Third and
Main streets, THIS (Thursday) EVENING, March
21st, at 7 o'clock. All Hoyal Arch Masons in good
standing are invited to attend.
By order of the M. E. High Priest,
mh 21-1t
S. B. JACOBS, Secretary.

A URORA LODGE No. 118,
1, 0, 0, F., will hold a regular
session in Ellett's Hail, corner Fifth
and Marshall stress, our THIS (Thursday) EVENING, March 21, 1889, at 7-20 o'clock sharp. The
staff will coufer the initiatory and second degrees; candilates requested to be prompt. Representative to the Grand Lodge to be elected tonight.

AN ADJOURNED MEETING OF
the STOCKHOLDERS OF THE RICHMOND
LOCOMOTIVE AND NACHINE-WORKS will be
held at the works of the company on FRIDAY,
March 22, 1889, at 12 o'clock M.
min 8-2w GEORGE F. JONES, Secretary.

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OPENING OF OUR SECOND SUPPLY OF
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We offer 1,000 yards of extra fine quality Check Muslin in remnants at 8 kg. a yard that you could not buy off of the piece for tess than from 18 kg. to 1bc, a yard. This lot is worthy of your attention.

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We have again secured control of the line of India Linen Remnants which were so popular with the ladies last reason. We have three ilnos at Sc. 6gc., and 69c. a yard. Come early and you will get the pick. SPECIAL JOB. An extra-fine Embroidered Bust, French woven Corset, made to be sold at 75°C. We have all sizes, and our price is 5°C. apiece.

TABLE-CLOTHS.

The lot of manufacturers' samples of Table Covers advertised Thursday was added to on Saturday, and we how show as good values as when first we opened them. Don't get left this time, but come and look them over at once.

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SPECIAL.

Remnants of the best vard-wide Domestic Satines in new and desirable styles, worth 12 kg., our price 7 kg. a yard.

Having just returned from the northern markets we are daily receiving attractive bargains, which you will find displayed as early as they are received by us. Therefore it will pay you to visit us searly and often.

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A lot of fine French Woven Corsets sold at \$1.23, \$1.50, and \$1.75 will be offered this week at the your choice;
Ladtes' All-Wool Pink and Blue Ribbed Vests, sold at \$1, for this week only 69c.;
Ladles' Summer Merino Vests, suitable for between neasons, worth 50c. will go this week at 25c.;
A large line of Silk Moire Ribbons in No. 7, 9, 12, and 16 widths, in all stades, will go for this week at 10c. per yard for your choice;
A lot of handsome Tidies, 14x30, have been placed at the low figure for this week of Syc.;

A big line of Barbour's best Skein Flax Thread A hig line of Barbour's best Skein Flax Thread at 10c. per dezen;
All our assorted colored Crewels at 10c. per dozen—worth three times that;
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"The amount of calculous matter discharged may analy be estimated at from one to one and a half ounces. Under microscopic examination it was evident, I think, that he calcult were included the patient was very marked.

"The amount of calculous matter discharged by the action of the water. Analysis made by Dr. F. S. Whaley, resident physician at the Springs and consulting physician in the case, showed it to be uric acid.

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